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DENY PASSPORTS TO PEACE DELEGATES

U. S. Expresses Disapproval of Propaganda of European Socialists

WARNING TO AMERICANS

Any American Taking Part in Negotiations Legally Liable to Heavy Punishment

PURPOSE NOT STATED

WASHINGTON May 23—Emphatic disapproval of the peace propaganda of European Socialists was expressed today by the American government which denied passports to American delegates to the Stockholm conference and issued a warning that any American taking part in the negotiations would be legally liable to heavy punishment. No formal announcement of purpose was issued but officials explained that the government's course would have the two fold effect of discrediting generally any peace moves by unauthorized persons and of condemning in particular the present Socialist agitation, regarded since its inception as inspired by Germany.

Lansing Cites Logan Act

In making the decision not to give passports to the American Socialists designated to take part in the Stockholm conference, Secretary Lansing cited the Logan act of 1799 as defining the punishments which might be expected by any American now in Stockholm or who might go there without a passport and participate in the peace discussions. Under this law unauthorized persons who directly or indirectly treat with foreign agents regarding controversies of the United States may be imprisoned for three years and fined \$5,000.

The American delegates to the conference authorized to represent the American Socialist party over the protest of some of its foremost members are Victor L. Berger of Milwaukee and Morris Hillquit and Algernon Lee of New York. They were selected by the party's executive committee after a notable group of Socialists headed by Chas. Edward Russell and William English Walling had condemned the movement in a joint statement as "the most dangerous of all the Kaiser's plots."

Denounced Hillquit and Lee

The same statement denounced Hillquit and Lee who are Socialist writers, as radically pro-German.

Berger, a native of Austria-Hungary, has been editor of several German language newspapers in Milwaukee and in 1911 was elected as the first Socialist to sit in congress.

American diplomatic agents abroad have kept a close watch on the Socialist movement and their reports are understood to show clearly that the plan for a conference at Stockholm had its origin in Germany and has met with the active encouragement of the German government. Passports have already been granted to the German delegates.

Russian Socialists also have selected delegates to the meeting.

The Socialist party of Great Britain has refused to send representatives to Stockholm, its executive committee declaring that such a conference "is of no real importance and can only bring ridicule on the Socialist cause."

Officials made it clear tonight that their decision should be regarded rather as a disapproval of the peace move than as a reflection upon sincerity of the Socialists in this country. It was emphasized that great danger might result if unauthorized persons attempted at present to negotiate peace with foreign agents who appear in reality the instrument of a cleverly directed German war move.

ILLINOIS ROADS TO RAISE PASSENGER FARE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 23.—Notice was served on Attorney General Brundage today by the officials of the various roads operating in Illinois that commencing May 31 they would charge two and four-tenths cents per mile for conveying passengers from point to point in Illinois. This rate is made they say in order to comply with the order of Federal Judge Hook in St. Louis recently that the roads so adjust their rates not to discriminate against St. Louis in favor of East St. Louis.

Attorney General Brundage announced that if the railroads attempt to raise their rates within the state he will proceed against them in the courts under the Illinois two-cent fare, recently upheld by Federal Judge Landis.

FIRE DEVASTATES HUNGARIAN TOWN

Amsterdam, May 23, via London, May 23—A Budapest despatch says the Hungarian town of Gyoenyoes has been devastated by fire, 1,000 houses being destroyed and 240 still on fire. Several thousand persons are homeless and seven deaths have been reported. Gyoenyoes is 44 1/2 miles from Budapest and had a population in 1900 of 16,442.

BRITISH KING WELCOMES U. S. SURGEONS AND NURSES

Ceremony Will Stand As Landmark in American History

Members of Royal Family Shake Hands with Those Composing Hospital Unit of America's Initial Detachment of Army Which Will Soon Go to France.

London, May 23.—King George and Queen Mary accompanied by the Prince of Wales and Princess Mary today received and welcomed the surgeons and nurses of America's initial detachment of the army which shortly will take its place beside the British allies at the fighting front in France. It was a simple but impressive ceremony, one which will stand as a landmark in American history as the first of its kind to occur within the walls of Buckingham Palace.

Formality Shorn of Rigidity.

Formality there was such—such as is demanded by royalty—but the presentation was shorn of much of its rigidity by the attitude of the royal family. There existed no doubt in the minds of spectators that the hearts of the king and queen were in their greetings.

Especially was this felt as the king stood before the medical corps and, in a voice ringing with sincerity, expressed the pleasure which it afforded him and the queen to welcome the Americans.

In the detachment whose members were presented to the king were 25 surgeons under command of Major Harry L. Gilchrist. King George wore the service uniform of a field marshal and the Prince of Wales was in a captain's uniform of the grenadier guards with the insignia of a staff officer. Queen Mary was becomingly gowned in satin of a soft gray tint, with hat of the same hue and Princess Mary was attired in white.

Each Speaks Word of Welcome.

The members of the royal family shook hands with those composing the detachment and to each spoke a word of welcome and expressed best wishes for his or her future in France.

All along to the fourth base hospital of the United States army. Most of them are from Cleveland and vicinity.

"It is with the utmost pleasure and satisfaction that the queen and I welcome you here today," said King George. "We greet you at the first detachment of the American army which has landed on our shores since your great republic resolved to join in the world struggle for the ideals of civilization.

"We deeply appreciate this prompt and generous response to our needs. It is characteristic of the humanity and chivalry which have ever been evinced by the American nation that the first assistance rendered the Allies is in connection with the profession of healing and work of mercy."

VOTE TO CREATE SOCIAL SERVICE COMMISSION

DALLAS, Texas, May 23.—Creation of a Social service commission of 45 members to serve without expense to assist in solving problems of the church growing out of the war was voted by the 129th general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America today by an overwhelming majority.

The action was taken after Dr. John A. Marquie of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, former moderator said "old methods of the church would not meet the situation."

The assembly also adopted the report of the standing committee on temperance declaring against the liquor traffic and also disapproving the use of tobacco in any form.

The assembly this afternoon passed a resolution favoring a Sunday rest law in the District of Columbia. Several other matters of a like nature were transacted.

EDITOR OF ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL DIES

NEW YORK, May 23.—William Conant Church, editor of the army and navy journal, died at his home here today from pneumonia. He was 81 years old.

A brevet Lieutenant colonel, U. S. Volunteers, Colonel Church was regarded as one of the ablest authorities on military matters in the country and had an acquaintance with the intimate history of the army and navy and their outstanding personalities for two generations. Born in Rochester, N. Y., descendant of a revolutionary soldier Colonel Church entered Journalism and was for a short time prior to the outbreak of the Civil War publisher of the New York Sun. He was breveted a Lieutenant colonel for distinguished service in the war in which he was wounded at Fair Oaks. He founded the army and navy journal in 1863.

TO CONFER

HONORARY DEGREES.

Princeton, N. J., May 23.—Honorary degrees will be conferred on all of the ambassadors and ministers representing the allied nations as well as Secretary of State Robert Lansing and Herbert Hoover at the 170th annual commencement of Princeton university which will be held on June 16th. The usual commencement exercises this year will give way to patriotic exercises.

SALESMEN TO SELL BONDS.

Chicago, May 23.—Three hundred bond salesmen tomorrow morning will begin selling Liberty bonds here. The business section has been divided into zones and the salesmen have been divided into teams of about 30 each with a team leader for each zone.

FRENCH MISSION RETURNS SAFELY

Joffre and Viviani Land at Brest—Due in Paris Last Night

SAILED FROM NEW YORK

Party Slipped Away May 15 on the Same Steamer which Brought Them Over

LEFT UNDER CONVOY

PARIS, May 23.—Marshal Joffre and former Premier Viviani arrived at Brest last night on their return from the United States.

They reached Brest at midnight and are due in Paris tonight.

Sailed From New York.

Washington, May 25.—Vice-Premier Viviani, Marshal Joffre and the French mission sailed from New York Tuesday, May 15. Unknown except to a few officials and many American newspapers which loyally kept the secret so the distinguished guests of the nation might not be unnecessarily endangered by German submarines, the party slipped away on the same steamer which brought them over and was convoyed by a French warship.

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Returned to Capital May 14.

On Monday May 14, the mission returned to Washington.

It was presumed they were returning to take up their conferences on the conduct of the war, but they really returned to make their farewell visits to President Wilson and other American officials. Up to that time there had been not even an intimation that the visitors were to go so soon. Late that afternoon the mission sped away again and reached New York before midnight.

Tugs were ready and the Frenchmen were taken to the liner waiting for them in midstream. The ship sailed out thru the harbor guards early Tuesday morning and so well had the plans been laid that it was generally supposed in New York that the liner and her convoy were sailing for Hampton Roads to take on the French party at the same place where they had landed on coming to the United States.

The ships, however, were laying their course across the Atlantic.

Department Issues Statement.

The state department tonight issued this statement:

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REQUISITION BLANKETS FOR "ROOKIE" OFFICERS

FORT SHERIDAN, Ill., May 23.—With the continued unseasonable weather several hundred additional blankets were requisitioned today for the Illinois contingent in training here for reserve officer's commissions. Major John H. Parker commanding the cantonment, asserted, however, that none of the men had suffered ill effects from the cold. The Michigan-Wisconsin candidates are housed in brick barracks which are heated with steam.

Numbers of men, already commissioned in reserve corps, who are in training here, were preparing to leave for Fort Leavenworth, Kan., where they have been ordered for instruction.

FREEPORT TELEPHONE STRIKERS RESUME WORK

FREEPORT, Ill., May 23.—The city was without telephone service five hours today thru a strike of seventy employees of the local telephone company. The strikers, including 45 switchboard operators, demanded an increase in wages, changed working conditions and the reinstatement of L. A. Herrick, whose resignation as manager was announced last night.

At a conference, company granted the demands regarding wages and an eight hour day. Other differences will be submitted to arbitration.

FROST CAUSES LARGE DAMAGE TO GARDENS

CHICAGO, May 23.—A heavy frost covered many parts of northern Illinois today and caused large damage to garden truck and other crops just out of the ground. As the sun wilted the frozen plants, farmers, florists and gardeners were busy trying to estimate the damage. In exposed places beans, tomatoes, potatoes and corn suffered most. Ice to the thickness of a window pane formed on pools left after the heavy rains of the last few days and thermometers registered a temperature as low as 26 degrees.

AUSTRIA HOPE FOR PEACE WITH RUSSIA

Better Crop Than Last Season Seems Only Hope

Government Shares This View and This Led to Several Attempts by it to Give Russia to Understand That Peace With Central Powers Could be Obtained.

New York, May 23.—By a Staff Correspondent of The Associated Press Just Returned from Vienna—Peace with Russia and the hope that this year's crops would be better than those of last year, have during recent weeks been the sole factors in whatever optimism existed in Austria-Hungary concerning the outcome of the European war.

It was thought that reaching an understanding with Russia would cause the entente governments to also enter negotiations for peace or in the absence of such an inclination on their part release the central power troops on the east front for operations against the Italians and the allies on the west front. This failing, a crop at least as good or better than last season's appeared to most classes the only cause for seeing anything bright in the future. The government shares this view, and this led to several attempts by it to give the Russians to understand that peace with the central powers could be obtained under conditions favorable in Berlin and Vienna.

Those interested in public sustenance matters in Austria-Hungary realize that only the very best of seasons could give the country a crop as good even at last year's. Austria-Hungary was before the war an exporter of foodstuffs and the area of arable land does not enter into the question of war crops. For land not cultivated intensively food production in the monarchy has become largely a matter of fertilizing. This is especially true of Hungary. Farms depending upon intense cultivation have fallen short in crop returns principally for the reason that the necessary labor has not been available. In Austria this has been the principal cause for recent bad crops the here also a shortage in fertilizers, especially in manure, has been severely felt.

Farming in Austria-Hungary, as in Germany, has for the last two years taken much more out of the soil than it was possible to return to it so the result being that two crops have been raised on what may be considered the reserve store of elements needed to produce a crop. With the duration of the war the possibilities of keeping the soil in good condition have decreased constantly so that today most farmland in Central Europe may be considered as on the verge of exhaustion. The tugs were ready and the Frenchmen were taken to the liner and her convoy were sailing for Hampton Roads to take on the French party at the same place where they had landed on coming to the United States.

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HUNGARIAN PREMIER AND CABINET RESIGN

LONDON, May 24.—A despatch from Amsterdam gives the following semi-official statement received from Buda-dapest:

"As the emperor did not give his assent to the government's franchise proposal, Count Tisza, the Hungarian premier tendered the resignation of the entire cabinet, which the emperor accepted.

"The emperor charged Count Tisza with continuing the conduct of the war, the whole, the paragraph fixing a five percent tax on automobile manufacturers so that only those earning a profit of \$5,000 and eight per cent would be affected the house reversed itself and the original paragraph granting no exemptions was restored.

House Votes Motion Down

The house voted down 345 to 68 a motion to strike out the increases in the Lenroot income tax surtax amendment which it is estimated, will be productive of \$66,000,000 additional revenue.

An unsuccessful effort also was made to eliminate the committee second class mail matter rate section which would increase on next March 1, the present flat rate of one cent a pound to a graduated scale ranging

and one half cents a pound in the first zone to six cents a pound in the eighth. Two other

increases in rates would go into effect on next July 1 and Nov. 1, respectively. The vote sustaining the committee was 256 to 159.

Mr. Kitchin voluntarily struck from the bill the proposed five percent tax on advertising.

The following Illinois representatives voted against the bill:

Britten, Denison, Fuller, Graham, Ireland, Juul, McKenzie, McKinley, Madden, Mann, Rodenberg, Wheeler and Wilset.

TO GIVE DEAD NURSE MILITARY HONORS

CHICAGO, May 23.—Funeral services with full military honors will be held in Evanston, a suburb, for Miss Helen Burnett Wood, one of the two Red Cross nurses who were killed by fragments from a shell during target practice aboard the American steamship which was taking them to France. A detachment of bluejackets from the U. S. naval training station at Great Lakes, Ill., will attend, as will representatives of the National Guard regiments of Chicago.

CONSIDER SUFFRAGE QUESTION

Jassy, Roumania, via London, May 23.—Premier Bratianu has announced to the chamber of deputie that the government requests parliament to insert in the Roumanian constitution the principles of universal suffrage and expropriation in favor of peasants. The government is also considering the Jewish ques-

HOUSE PASSES WAR REVENUE MEASURE

BILL Designed to Raise \$1,800,000,000 Thru New Taxation

Yield, It is Said, Will Be From Six to Eight Bushels to the Acre—Word from Texas Taken As Good Omen—Work Started Three Days Earlier Than Normal.

Chicago, May 23.—In Texas, near Fort Worth yesterday, an

Gifts for Graduation

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Key Rings
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Gold Lockets
Vest Chains
Smoking Sets
Emblem Charms
Diamond Links
Watch Fobs
Key Chains
Cigar Cases
Napkin Holders
Traveling Cases
Cigar Jars
Hat Brushes

Bottle Openers
Soap Boxes
Bill Folds
Cigar Holders
Sets of Studs
Match Boxes
Shaving Sets
Pocket Knives
Cigar Cases
Loose Cuff Links
Umbrellas
Traveling Brushes
Ash Receivers
Lapel Chains
Diamond Studs
Clothes Brushes
Collar Buttons
Photograph Frames
Cork Screws
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AN EXAMPLE

The patriotism of Archbishop Munden of Chicago cannot be exactly duplicated here but there is inspiration in his act in considering the Red Cross campaign here in Morgan county. In a letter addressed to the chairman of the Chicago citizens' committee of the Red Cross society the archbishop enrolled the names of 1200 orphans in St. Mary's training school on the Red Cross rolls and sent his check for \$1,200 to cover the expenses. The archbishop undoubtedly had in mind more than the swelling of the Red Cross fund, for membership in the society will teach these boys and girls something of patriotism in a way that will be remembered.

THE FORTUNATE FARMER

Everybody seems to be facing heavy war taxes but the farmer. No doubt the executives and leaders at Washington are exempting the farmer for two reasons—because they want to court his good will and secondly, because they wish to encourage in every war an increase in the production of grain and livestock. This attitude toward the farmer, as some bankers have already pointed out, is very certain to have a tendency to increase the values of farm lands. People with money to invest will not be long in seeing that money in farm lands is not only absolutely safe but is so placed that taxes for the war or other purposes will not be burdensome.

BUSINESS AND PLEA-CUE SECONDARY

Announcements are being sent out by various societies and organizations of the postponement of meetings and reunions on account of conscription day, June 5. This is indicative of the growing understanding on the part of the people that we are really engaged in a very serious war with a foreign power of vast resources. These announcements indicate too, conditions which will become more and more apparent as the war progresses, making merely social and business affairs have secondary place to war preparations. Yes, it is a very serious affair into which the U. S. has been drawn and the public is becoming more and more alive to that fact.

LOGICAL SITES FOR TRAINING CAMPS

If the state of Illinois chooses a site of Dixon or Alton for the quartering of drafted troops the people of the state should be well satisfied. The land it is proposed to use near these two cities is state property, the sites of hospitals which are not yet completed for the intended uses. There are buildings at both Dixon and Alton and the water supply at each site is adequate. There is the advantage of sewerage connections and the land space available is amply sufficient for training purposes. These properties belong to the state and have been paid for with the people's money. To establish a training camp at some other location would mean an expenditure of \$40,000 to \$50,000, while the use of the Alton or Dixon site would mean insignificant cost. With heavier taxes a certainty, to save \$40,000 of the people's money is well worth while.

THE NEWSPAPERS

GETTING REWARDS

Just about the most pungent comment yet published on the administration's efforts to muzzle the newspapers is found in the current issue of *Collier's* wherein the editor declares that newspapers which have treated the administration with such mildness and have glossed over many a mistake are about to receive the reward which too often is accorded such conduct. This is the way *Collier's* looks at the espionage bill, which has brought spirited objection from a great majority of the newspapers of the U. S.

Newspapers that for two years have been most industrious in praising the party in power at Washington and screening its mistakes and denouncing its critics are now the most disturbed by the espionage bill and various other attempts to prevent the flow of unofficial language about affairs of state. But what do they expect? They had their own good reasons for abandoning their right and duty to comment on the delinquencies at Washington, but they must know that the job of courier has its penalties. Other things besides thrift are sure to follow fawning. The willing horse is most ridden, says Poor Richard. It is of the nature of servility that it tends to become permanent. Indeed, the mildness of these papers in their comments on the outrageous espionage bill is proof enough of the extent to which they have sacrificed their independence to please the official class in Washington. Officials of the government would be more

than human if they neglected an opportunity to solidify the exemption from real investigation and criticism which they have enjoyed since August 1, 1914. We can imagine what the newspapers of the time of Greeley, Bowles, Raymond and Merrill would have done to the espionage bill, or how such journalists of a later period as Joseph Pulitzer, Dana or Nelson would have handled the upstart bureaucrats who framed this act or the impudent congressman who introduced it. They would not have left enough of them to ship home. Fortunately there are men in congress bold enough to pull the claws of these utterly unnecessary and indefensible attempts to destroy freedom—one of the first measures proposed at the commencement of a war for freedom!"

ing to give way at no very distant day, notwithstanding the fact that the German food supply is not so serious as has been pictured. Let us hope that Dr. Aguero is an accurate prophet and that he has "sized up" the situation as it really is.

SOLDIERS LIVING AND DEAD

The mayor of Quincy has issued a proclamation calling for a half holiday June 5, conscription day, so that the people may take part in the patriotic demonstration. Committees have been appointed and in addition to a parade there will be a program of patriotic speeches. It is none too early to begin preparations for such an observance here.

In this same connection it is worth while to mention that all things point this year to Decoration Day observances of more than usual impressiveness. As the years have gone by since the War of the Rebellion there has come a less intimate knowledge of what war means. Present conditions are serving to revive Civil War memories and to give new thought and point to war preparations and conditions. It is safe to say that when Decoration Day comes this year that the graves of the fallen heroes of the war of '61 will be viewed with new reverence and flowers and flags will be placed on those mounds with a tenderness heretofore unknown in these later years.

THE HARVEST BEGINS

After all, we're optimistic in this country and the news that the harvesting of wheat has begun in Texas is already having the effect of making the people feel that after all there is not going to be so much difficulty about the grain supply. This optimism is not without some foundation and the Texas reports indicate a crop ten per cent greater than last year. Texas does not rank as one of the largest producing wheat states but its area is so immense that the amount produced in the state is quite an important factor in making up the sum total in the U. S.

But it is cheering to know that the harvest has begun and that the weather conditions are such that the binders have been put into the fields three days earlier than last year, although in this locality we are counting the spring as very backward. The beginning of harvest in Texas means that the gathering of grain will be continued until late in September in some parts of the country, for wheat fields occupy part of the acreage of this great country in all the vast expanse stretching from Texas clear up to the Canadian line. Just now the song of the reaper sounds especially sweet to American ears.

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YOUR VACATION TRIP.

If you have a vacation trip in contemplation this summer lay your plans carefully. If present plans of railroads are carried out the passenger service will be reduced one third within the next few weeks.

A well known citizen of this city said he had received a letter from his son who is in the railway service saying that all roads, and especially transcontinental lines, would soon reduce the volume of their passenger service.

The step is to be taken on account of the war in order to place passenger engines in freight service. According to the plans tentatively formed the various roads running limited trains to the west, southwest and in fact all other directions, will begin a sort of co-operative service.

By the installation of the proposed plan limited trains will be operated on alternate days by different roads centering in the same city. For example between Chicago and Kansas City the Burlington, Santa Fe, Alton and other roads will operate trains on alternate days. This will give daily service but only one limited train each day between the cities.

Among other things the railroad's purpose is to do is the elimination of all excursion trains and all observation cars will be taken off of the trains. The discontinuance of trains as contemplated will mean that a large number of railroad employees will be thrown out of employment. This will include in addition to trainmen, pullman conductors and porters and others not directly connected with the railway service. But fortunately conditions are such that other lines of employment will be immediately available for men who lose positions by these train changes.

THE NEWS

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cord were visiting relatives in the city yesterday.

L. W. Wright of Tallula was in the city yesterday.

William Dudley was a representative of Bluffs in the city yesterday.

George S. Beckman of Pisgah was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Norman Campbell of the vicinity of Merritt visited the city yesterday.

Andrew Detmer of Chapin was among the city callers yesterday.

Claude Taylor of Chapin journeyed to the city on business yesterday.

John W. Reynolds of Waverly was in the city Wednesday visiting at the Institute for the Blind.

Mrs. L. Johnston of Milton and Miss Ruby Chandler of Peoria were shopping in the city yesterday.

Frank Brockhouse of the vicinity of Chapin was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Misses Grace, Sarah and Lena Spears came down to the city from Tallula yesterday.

Charles H. Kruse of Bluffs was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Leonard Buckley of Alexander was a caller on city friends yesterday.

C. W. Mason of the southeast part of the county arrived in the city yesterday.

Elmer Woolford of Bluffs was added to the list of business visitors in the city yesterday.

Charles E. Irlam of Murrayville made a business trip to the city yesterday.

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George Deitrich of the vicinity of Concord was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Irvin Cox of the vicinity of Pisgah was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

George White of the vicinity of Orleans was transacting business in the city yesterday.

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ITALIAN WAR MISSION ARRIVES IN WASHINGTON

Prince Udine Delivers Message of Comradeship to U. S.

Prince Expresses His Delight at the Opportunity to Express Italy's Appreciation of America's Active Championship in World Struggle

Washington, May 23.—Prince Udine, member of the royal house of Savoy and cousin of the King of Italy, delivered a message of greeting and comradeship to the American people on his arrival here today as the head of Italy's war mission. Accompanied by some of the kingdom's leading citizens, including William Marconi, inventor of the wireless, the prince expressed his delight at being in America at this time and at the opportunity to express Italy's appreciation of America's active championship of the common world struggle against autocracy. The Italian mission, met on arrival in this country by Italian Ambassador di Celleire and third Assistant Secretary of State Breckinridge Long, was received with every

honor when its social train reached the capital today at noon.

Ambassador Presents Mission.

The Prince of Udine and his fellow members were presented in order by the Italian ambassador to Secretary Lansing, Counsellor Polk, Assistant Secretary Phillips and Lieutenant Colonel John C. Gilmore of the army, and Lieut. Commander William N. Jeffers of the navy.

The visitors passed out thru a cheering crowd in the station to waiting automobiles, which passed under escort of two cavalry troops past the capitol, up Pennsylvania Avenue, between the treasury department and the white house, and out to the Joseph Letter house where they will make their headquarters.

The commissioners tomorrow will call formally on Secretary Lansing and then on Secretary of the Navy Daniels, the prince being a captain in the royal navy. Thence they will go to the white house to be presented to President Wilson who will entertain them at dinner in the evening.

Will Discuss Inventions.

The presence of William Marconi, the wireless inventor led to reports that the famous scientist had found a solution of the submarine difficulty. It was stated on behalf of the mission that Marconi has brought to this country several devices evolved by the Italian admiralty, which accounted for thirteen U-boats in the first three weeks of their operations. The inventions will be fully discussed with American naval experts.

The main purpose that the Italians representatives hope to achieve is said to be a closer understanding and sympathy between the United States and Italy.

PRISONERS WILL NOT ESCAPE REGISTRATION

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 23.—Inmates of Illinois prisons will not escape registration for the selective draft June 5. It was stated today by Colonel James Renayne, U. S. A., who has been placed by Adjutant General Dickson in charge of the central registration office at the state arsenal.

Registration blanks have been sent to the warden of the Joliet penitentiary where there are 1660 inmates and to Chester where there are 1300 inmates as well as to the reformatory at Pontiac where 1,000 men under 26 years old are wards of the state.

Prisoners in county jails and city police stations will be taken care of by county and city authorities, Colonel Renayne said.

FAVORABLE WEATHER ADVANCES VEGETATION

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Decidedly favorable weather for the advance of vegetation over almost all portions of the corn belt, in most of the western cotton states and in several of the Atlantic Coast states, prevailed during the week just ended, the national weather crop bulletin today announced.

Seeding of spring wheat is practically completed and the weather was favorable for germination and growth with prospects very promising in most districts, altho some what late in some sections of the west. Conditions were much more favorable for corn in principal producing states. The acreage of abandoned wheat fields planted to corn is large in the central great plains region.

Potatoes were germinating well in nearly all districts and garden and truck crops made excellent progress in the central and northern states.

REGARD BRAZIL'S ENTRY IN WAR AS CERTAIN

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Brazil's entry into the war is regarded here as a question merely of days. Those who have watched South American developments closely believe the sinking of the steamer *Tijucá* may provide the incident required to place the more pacific members of the Brazilian congress in the list of those willing to vote for active hostilities against Germany.

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No. 2 cans Peas, dozen	\$1.10
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Three 10c bottles Mazola Oil for	25c
Large Dill Pickles, dozen	20c
Two large 25c packages fresh Oats for	45c

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CHINESE PRESIDENT DISMISSES PREMIER

Action Probably will Make War Declaration Possible

Names Dr. Wu Ting Fang Acting Premier and Empowers Him to Form a New Cabinet.

Peking, May 23.—President Li Yuan Hung has issued a mandate dismissing Premier Tuan Chi Jui from office and naming Dr. Wu Ting Fang, former ambassador to the United States, as acting premier, and empowering him to form a new cabinet. This action probably will end the deadlock in parliament and make possible a declaration of war by China against Germany.

The provincial military governors, who were attempting to disband parliament, left Peking before the president took action against Tuan Chi Jui, as the president had positively announced he would disregard their demand for a dissolution of the legislative body. The president declared parliament must not be coerced in any way and announced his intention to conduct the government in accordance with the provisional constitution at any cost.

The disgruntled military governors probably will instigate protests in the provinces against President Li Yuan Hung for his rebuke to the military power, but the president's firm stand is inspiring admiration in unexpected quarters.

The indications are that the military leaders, headed by Tuan Chi Jui, lost public sympathy thru the demonstrations of the mob the night of May 10 when after arduous session in which the house of representatives refused to pass a resolution declaring war on Germany, the parliament building was surrounded by a large crowd which demanded war and made threats of violence.

SAYS GERMAN IMPERIAL REGIME THREATENED

GENEVA, via Paris, May 23.—Things are going badly in Germany and the Imperial regime is threatened, according to Dr. Aristides Aguirre recalled Cuban minister to the United States, who arrived here on his way to France. Dr. Aguirre said:

"I bring good news. I have been fourteen years in Berlin, and you can easily realize that I have been able to thoroly study the character of our enemies. Things are going badly on the other side of the Rhine. The facade of the imperial regime seems solid enough from abroad but in reality there are cracks in it."

Dr. Aguirre declared that there was no prospect of immediate improvement in the food situation in Germany. He said that no help could be expected from the occupied parts of Roumania as the lack of man power made a cultivation of the fields impossible.

The legislation would authorize the governor to call upon the reserve militia in case of emergency and to muster them out when the emergency had passed. When in active service of the state, these troops would receive pay.

REPORT AUSTRIAN COURT INITIATING PEACE EFFORT.

Amsterdam, May 23.—Via London—The Roman Catholic newspaper Tyd says it understands on good authority that in accordance with the wishes of Pope Benedict the Austrian court is initiating a new peace effort.

ARREST THREE ALLEGED AUTOMOBILE THIEVES

St. Louis, Mo., May 23.—The arrest today of three members of an alleged gang of automobile thieves who are being sought in Detroit, will break up the gang it was stated by police here. This gang operating thru the middle west it is claimed has stolen more than 100 automobiles since Jan. 1. Four men are under arrest here and three in Springfield, Ill.

ASSOCIATED PRESS TO BUY LIBERTY BONDS

New York, May 23.—At a meeting of the executive committee of The Associated Press today it was unanimously resolved to transfer from the present investment the sum of \$200,000 of the emergency reserve \$200,000 of the emergency reserve set aside for extra-ordinary news events) to the purchase of liberty loan bonds.

"We are entering upon a war of such magnitude as we have never known before. The result of this war will determine for all time, so far as man can see, whether or not men shall have the right to govern themselves. If we win, we can look forward to countless years of happiness for our children and for our children's children. If we are conquered it matters not if we shall have lost everything in this world-wide strife."

"War in modern times means enormous cost in money as well as in men. I therefore urge upon all citizens to subscribe to the limit of their financial ability to the liberty loan. In no other way can we show the world so well that we know what this war means and that we are resolved at whatever cost to win."

TO SEND SAW MILL UNITS TO FRANCE

Washington, May 23.—An agreement with the British war office under which the six New England states soon will send ten portable saw mill units, comprising four hundred expert woodsmen to aid the British armies in France was announced today by the American Forestry association. The plan is understood to have the approval of the war department, which on its own part is enlisting a regiment of foresters to serve with the American army engineers abroad.

IRVING B. VINCENT DIES

Ottawa, May 23.—Irving B. Vincent, a wealthy Ottawa business man who was recently appointed state grain inspector by Governor Lowden, died today after an illness of three days of diphtheria.

REPORT GERMANS RESUME BELGIAN DEPORTATIONS

HAVRE, May 23.—The Germans have resumed the deportations of Belgians, according to information received by the Belgian government. Three thousand persons are reported to have been deported from the suburbs of Brussels since the beginning of May.

The deportation of Belgians was reported to have ceased last month, owing to the representations made to Berlin by Pope Benedict and protests from some of the German Socialists. On May 14, however, the Belgian government learned that all men in the Belgian province of Luxembourg were being deported and that a census was for the purpose of replacing male agricultural workers by women.

AMERICA MAY POOL ITS PURCHASING

Would Construct Buying Machine for America and All the Allies for the Sake of Attaining Maximum Efficiency.

Washington May 23.—A program under which the American government virtually would pool its purchasing, for the sake of attaining maximum efficiency, with that of all the allies construct a buying machine into which hundreds of experts in many lines would fit as cog wheels and place one man in charge of the whole gigantic enterprise is under consideration and fast assuming definite outline. This man would be the world's super-buyer, into his hands the nations at war with Germany would place approximately \$10,000,000,000 a year, a store of money exceeding the fabled fortunes of the ancient Incas and with no parallel in modern history.

So far has the program progressed that officials intrusted with its execution already have a definite idea as to whom they will choose. While no final decision has been reached as to whether one man or a small command should be chosen, indications are that it will be one man and that his selection will be announced within the next fortnight.

Likewise in the Isonzo sector of the Austro-Italian theater the infantry activity apparently has given way almost entirely to artillery duels of great intensity. The Rome war office reports the Italians have recaptured, after several days of heavy fighting positions the Austrians had seized from them Monday night in the Trivigno valley on the Trentino front.

Germany's submarine campaign apparently is still falling far short of the expectations placed on it by the German admiralty. The report of the British admiralty on tonnage sunk last week shows that eighteen merchantmen of more than 1600 tons and nine of less tonnage were sent to the bottom. In the first category the figures are the same as those given the previous week while in the second category they are four more. This, however, is far below the million tons a month average expected by Germany.

There seems to be a likelihood that Germany soon will have two additional enemies ranged against her—Brazil and China. The president of Brazil has requested congress to revoke Brazil's declaration of neutrality, which doubtless would be followed immediately by the proclamation of a state of war, while the president of China has dismissed the premier and ordered the formation of a new cabinet, which is considered in Peking as likely to end the deadlock in parliament and make possible a declaration of war against Germany by China.

The three new classifications are:

First—Reserve militia.
Second—Home defense brigade of three regiments.

Third—Voluntary training corps.

The "reserve militia" which would be recruited from complete units of the volunteer training corps, the formation of which was endorsed by the state council of defense in Chicago last Saturday. Formation of the home defense brigade was made necessary it was stated by General Dickson because regiments of the national guards are to be removed from the state July 25 to the southern department for training, leaving Illinois without protection in case an emergency should arise.

The legislation would authorize the governor to call upon the reserve militia in case of emergency and to muster them out when the emergency had passed. When in active service of the state, these troops would receive pay.

MAY 28-JUNE 2 WILL BE LIBERTY LOAN WEEK

CHICAGO, May 23.—The period May 28-June 2 will be "liberty loan week" in Illinois, according to a proclamation issued by Governor Lowden today as follows:

"We are entering upon a war of such magnitude as we have never known before. The result of this war will determine for all time, so far as man can see, whether or not men shall have the right to govern themselves. If we win, we can look forward to countless years of happiness for our children and for our children's children. If we are conquered it matters not if we shall have lost everything in this world-wide strife."

"War in modern times means enormous cost in money as well as in men. I therefore urge upon all citizens to subscribe to the limit of their financial ability to the liberty loan. In no other way can we show the world so well that we know what this war means and that we are resolved at whatever cost to win."

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Condensed Statement

As Reported to the United States Government
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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$1,409,787.15
Overdrafts	24,962.71
United States Bonds	200,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	7,500.00
Other Bonds and Securities	878,156.39
Furniture and Fixtures	11,807.48
Real Estate	500.00

CASH RESOURCES

Due from Reserve Agents and Other Banks	\$966,385.58
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	115,099.17
Gash	183,651.05

\$1,265,135.80

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	115,177.64
Circulating Notes	200,000.00
Deposits	3,232,671.89

\$3,797,849.53

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OFFERS FACILITIES
FOR BAND TRAININGWar Department Tendered Services
of University of Illinois Where
Specialty Has Been Made of Work
for Years—Equipment Largest and
Most Complete of Any in Country.

Urbana, Ill., May 23.—The War Department of the United States has been offered the use of the facilities of the University of Illinois for the training of members of military bands, especially band-masters.

The University has made a specialty of this work for some years. Enrollment of the University bands is said, is larger than that of any other university or college in the United States. The three military bands and the bugle corps had a total membership of more than two hundred for the last year. Their equipment is said by President Edmund J. James of the university to be the largest and most complete of any in the country, and has been designed especially to solve problems connected with the military training

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POWDER

No woman who values a good complexion should be without a bottle of the

A---A Liquid Face
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If your arms or hands have become brown from wearing short sleeves, if your neck is streaked from wearing a collar, we ask you to purchase a bottle of this powder and notice the marvelous results. You will appreciate this powder when the hot days come as it does not rub off or streak.

Two shades—white and flesh—in generous size bottles at TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.

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PANAMA AND STRAW HATS
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new. It's your chance to
economize.JOHN CARL
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North Side Square

MORTUARY

Wilkinson.

Clarence Wilkinson, aged 22 years died Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock after an illness of several weeks.

Deceased was the son of William and Anna Probst Wilkinson and was born in this city April 6, 1895. He was reared here and educated in the public schools of the city.

He is survived by his parents and two brothers, Arthur and Paul Wilkinson and one sister, Ruth Wilkinson, all of this city.

After completing school he entered the employ of the Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis railroad company shops and learned the trade of machinist which he followed up to the time of his last illness. He was a good workman and was a young man well liked by his associates.

He was a member of Centenary church and was active in the work of the church and Sunday school. He also was a member of Favorite Lodge No. 376 Knights of Pythias and held the office of prelate of the lodge.

Funeral services will be held from the residence Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in charge of the Rev. E. L. Fletcher. Burial will be in Jacksonville cemetery.

Brownner.

John Browner one of the oldest colored residents of the city died at Passavant hospital Tuesday afternoon after an illness of several days. Deceased was born in Edavardsville in 1846 and had been a resident of the state all his life and had resided here for more than thirty years. He followed the occupation of cook and was employed in hotels and restaurants here for a number of years. For the past three years he has been employed as laborer for W. E. Hall of 709 South Main street and had a room at the residence. The funeral will be held from the Gillham's undertaking parlors this morning at 10:30 o'clock with burial in Jacksonville cemetery.

Beerup.

Charles Edgar Beerup passed away Wednesday morning at 2 o'clock at his home 471 South East street, after an illness of five months.

Deceased was born and reared in Franklin, following the occupation of a barber, a trade he learned in the shop of his father. The father, Andrew Beerup, passed away Aug. 9, 1916 and the family removed to Jacksonville, the son taking employment in the shop of Mr. Slater on East Morgan street. Mr. Beerup is survived by his mother, seven sisters and three brothers. Mrs. Roy Hiles and Mrs. Henry Van Onken, Jacksonville, and Mrs. Dean Tucker, Franklin, Mrs. Earl Staats, Detroit, Mich., Lillian Beerup, Alberta and Earl Beerup, at home, are sisters. William Beerup, Fred and George Beerup, are the brothers surviving. One brother and one sister predeceased Mr. Beerup in death. The deceased was a young man who stood high in the respect of many friends, and his loss will be mourned on every hand by those who had learned to know him well.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Christian church of Franklin, in charge of the pastor, Rev. James Todd, Jr., assisted by the Rev. W. E. Keenan, pastor of Franklin circuit.

OTT.

Mother Marian Ott, 16 years old, daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. M. Ott of Petersburg, passed away at her home Wednesday morning, according to word received by friends in Jacksonville. The deceased had often visited at the home of Henry Engel.

Funeral services will be held in Petersburg Friday, Miss Lena Engel and perhaps other members of the family will attend.

FUNERALS

Colwell.

Funeral services for Mrs. Melinda Jane Colwell were held from the residence, 1408 East Railroad street at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning in charge of the Rev. J. H. Fisher, pastor of Bethel A. M. E. church. Music was furnished by the choir of the church. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Louis Carter, Mrs. William Gray, Mrs. George Clark, Mrs. Anna Wright and Mrs. Edward Burton. Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery the bearers being, William Gray, Louis Carter, James Matthews, Peter Dealy, Levi Postley and Anderson Moseley.

Cooper.

Funeral services for James Cooper, private Co. B, drowned at Louisiana, Mo., were held at Virginia Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. C. E. French, pastor of the Christian church.

The services were very brief and were held at Walnut Ridge cemetery where burial was made. Music was furnished by the choir of the church. The members of Downing post G. A. R. of Virginia attended the funeral in a body. Miss Cora Caywood was among those from this city who went to Virginia to attend the funeral.

Strawn's Crossing Club
in Regular Meeting.

The Strawn's Crossing Woman's club held the regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. C. Foster, with Mrs. Harry Foster and Mrs. Frank Foster and Misses Lillian Cleary, Ruby Cully and Nellie Green assisting the hostess. Six guests were present in addition to the members. The roll call topic was "How can we make Home Life more simple and more useful?" Mrs. Pearl Cully, Mrs. Mollie Phillips and Mrs. P. D. Trotter were among those appearing on the program. "Bread making was the title of an interesting paper presented. After the program a social hour prevailed and refreshments were served.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Pre-Nuptial Events for
Miss Anna Brown

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison W. King, 1136 West State street, entertained last evening for the wedding party of Marcie W. Osborne and Miss Anna Pauline Brown. Five hundred was a feature of a very delightful social evening.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. William Barr Brown entertained at bridge, honoring the prospective bride. Guests from out of the city were Mrs. B. W. Brown of Island Grove, Miss Helen Mathews and Miss Ruth Strawn Mathews of Kansas City, Mo., Mrs. John Goltra of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. J. R. Mathews of Chicago and Miss Ruth Henry of West Bend, Wis. The highest score at play was made by Mrs. John Goltra. Toward the close of the afternoon, a dainty luncheon was served.

Teachers Given Banquet
at David Prince School

A six o'clock banquet was served at David Prince school Wednesday evening at which the guests of honor were the teachers of the building, Supt. and Mrs. H. A. Perrin, the janitors, Mr. Fernandez and Mr. Redding and Mrs. Redding, the special teachers, Miss Agnes Rogerson, and Miss Ella Newman. The officers and committee of the David Prince school Parent-Teacher association were the hostesses. The dinner was altogether informal and highly enjoyable. Mrs. G. R. Bradley is president of the association and Mrs. H. L. Griswold is vice president. Mrs. R. L. Pyatt is secretary and treasurer. The committees are:

Constitution and by-laws—Mrs. H. L. Griswold, Mrs. A. C. Scarlett and Miss Wylder.

Refreshment committee—Mrs. Clarence Reed, Mrs. James Green, Mrs. Linderman, Mrs. H. A. Perrin, Mrs. Wallace Brockman and Miss Ella Newman.

Nominating committee—Mrs. Oliver Parker, Mrs. John Pires and Mrs. H. A. Furry.

Membership committee—All of the teachers.

Program committee—Mrs. Towle, Mrs. F. L. Haigrode and Mrs. L. B. Turner.

Franklin Home-Makers
With Mrs. J. B. Sears

Mrs. J. B. Sears entertained the Home-Makers' circle of Franklin at the regular meeting Tuesday and the afternoon hours were spent in a profitable manner. Red Cross activity was discussed and a committee appointed to inquire into the best method of work. The roll call was answered by the naming of an occupation for women. "The Employment of Women in Early Days" was the subject of an interesting paper by Mrs. Newton Woods.

Mrs. Sallie Wyatt was absent and her topic, "Food and Morality," was given over to a round table discussion.

Mrs. J. Neilson Jerman was elected to membership in the circle. The circle joined in singing "America." A social hour followed and Mrs. Sears served delicious refreshments. Visitors were Mrs. Albert Hamilton, Mrs. Harry Hamilton, Mrs. Henry Sears and Mrs. Allen.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Sam Darley who exchanged with Mrs. Snyder.

Black-Caldwell Wedding
Invitations Issued

Mrs. Samuel W. Black has issued invitations for the marriage of her daughter Martha Irene to Eugene E. Caldwell of Havana, the wedding to take place at the home, 826 West College avenue, at 8 o'clock Thursday evening May 31st. The at home cards read "July 1st, Havana, Ill."

Baptist Aid Society.

Members of the Pastor's Aid society of the First Baptist church met at the church Wednesday for an all day session. The time was spent in quilting. At noon a bountiful lunch was served, and much enjoyed by those present. The day as a whole was one of much pleasure and profit.

Mrs. Goltra will entertain the Sewing circle of the church at her home on Mound avenue Friday afternoon. The time will be spent in sewing, the ladies bringing their own work with them.

May Day Breakfast
At Woman's College.

The annual May breakfast at Illinois Woman's college, given under auspices of the College Y. W. C. A., was a success in every particular, the cool weather Monday morning made it necessary to serve indoors. Several friends were present from the city to partake of the abundant hospitality afforded. The event was in charge of the social committee, of which Miss Onken is chairman.

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C. E. PAXSON WRITES FRO
JEFFERSON BARRACKSFormer Jacksonville Resident is Engaged in Army Y. M. C. A. Work
—Is Member of the Drury-Paxson Family

Commenting on a recent article in the Journal written by Mr. Ensley Moore and telling of army Y. M. C. A. work at Jefferson Barracks, C. E. Paxson of St. Louis has the following to say:

St. Louis, May 22, 1917.
Editor Jacksonville Journal:

Dear Sir: Happening into my brother's office this morning I saw a copy of the Journal of last Thursday on his desk and read with great interest the account of the Drury-Paxsons, of which latter family I was the youngest member at Jacksonville.

Glancing over the paper for something of further interest I saw the heading "Soldiers of Jefferson Barracks Write Home" in which an account and appreciation of the excellent work done here by the Y. M. C. A. among the soldier boys was given. I was at once interested, as I have had the privilege of doing some little work there and was further surprised and delighted to find that my piano was one of the pianos given to the soldiers.

The piano was given to me when I preached there a week ago last Sunday was Jacksonville boy, for I was the St. Louis preacher referred to and had the greatest privilege of my life when 27 men came forward at the close and gave me their hands in token of their enlistment in the Army of King Immmanuel. It is truly a great work that is being done here thru the Y. M. C. A. as this is the concentration camp for twelve states and from six to ten thousand men are here constantly with men coming and going daily by the hundreds.

It is the aim of the Y. M. C. A. to give a pocket testament to every soldier who will promise to read it and so far the demand has exceeded the supply.

Very sincerely yours,

C. E. Paxson.

Annual Concert — Illinois
Woman's College Madrigal
Club Tonight at 8:15. Tick-
ets 25c.

A REMARKABLE CEMETERY

Some years since Rev. G. T. Wetzel, pastor of the Hebron, Shiloh, Salem circuit, had charge of a church named Zion and situated a few miles north of Lincoln. Although not a large church its small cemetery was remarkable for one thing, having in its bounds graves of veterans of the revolution, war of 1812, Black Hawk war, Mexican war, war of the rebellion and Spanish war. The people of Lincoln used to visit the place in good numbers on decoration days and when there was a salute fired it was always over the grave of the revolutionary



HOPPER'S The Shoe Store for PLEASING FOOTWEAR

Our idea is to sell you footwear that is so good and fits so well that your shoe thoughts will be pleasant and always of our shoes when in need of shoes.

We call your attention to the clean cut showing of low shoes, pleasing in design, up-to-date style and superior workmanship make our offerings particularly desirable.

We want the privilege of going over our offerings with you; we can show you something to your liking.

SALVATION ARMY TO AID U. S. IN WAR WORK

Plans Outlined at Recent Conference
Held in Chicago—Local Officers
Were in Attendance.

At a recent meeting of the Illinois officers of the Salvation Army held in Chicago definite plans were made for aiding the U. S. government in the present war. In accordance with the arrangements decided upon one ambulance unit will be equipped and named for service with the U. S. army by the western division of the Salvation Army, which includes all of the western states. The Army will provide half of the ambulances and the government the other half, and all chaplains, bandsmen, chauffeurs and assistants will be provided by the Army.

Ready for Services in Either Army.

The western states will also provide a considerable number of army chaplains and nurses. The Army has requested that each young woman an officer be in readiness for such service as she may be called upon to perform, whether by the government or the Salvation Army, and it is probable that a number of them will be called upon for service in hospital and Red Cross work. Many of these women will also be in charge of the "Hutments", which are to be equipped and maintained by the Salvation Army at each camp or post in the United States, and also with the army when it goes abroad into active service at the front. These Hutments are Salvation Army headquarters, including lunch rooms, lounging, reading and rest rooms and like provisions for the comfort and well-being of the men in camp. The work to be done at these headquarters includes religious services and instruction of a useful kind.

A representative of the western division of the Salvation Army is now at Washington concluding the plans for the work to be undertaken, to finance which each Army officer has been asked to contribute two per cent of all money received from whatever source.

Local Officers Attended.

Lieut. Olive Estill and Lieut. Grace Smith of the local Army corps were in attendance at the Chicago meeting. While there Lieut. Estill visited with her parents, Commissioner and Mrs. Thomas Estill, who will leave shortly for a trip to the Pacific coast and Honolulu, sailing for the latter place June 5.

The date for the Salvation Army tag day has been changed from Saturday, May 26, to Saturday, June 2. This postponement has been made necessary by the absence for several days of the local Army officers. All churches of the city will co-operate in the effort to make Tag Day a success. A number of young women representing the various churches will serve as collectors on that occasion.

For Sale—On next Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, from 9 to 11 a. m., handsome walnut book case, walnut side board, Flemish oak extension dining table and linen cabinet. 316 Woodland Place.

ART EXHIBIT AT HIGH SCHOOL. The parents and friends are invited to attend the art exhibit at the high school building Thursday and Friday afternoons from three to six o'clock. It is interesting to note the designs and construction from the mats made by pupils of the first grade and the leather work on display by students of the high school.

JURY SELECTED FOR PARR-COWDEN CASE

Damage Suit Will Probably Occupy
Attention of Circuit Court Today
—Other Cases Called

The damage suit of John Parr against Miss Mabel Cowden occupied all day Wednesday before Judge Smith in the circuit court.

The case is the result of a collision which occurred near the city last September between the automobiles of Miss Cowden and Mr. Parr. Both cars were damaged somewhat.

The case was set for trial last fall but owing to the illness of witnesses for the defense a continuance was granted until this term. The entire day was taken up with the selection of a jury and the taking of evidence. It is probable that the case will take most of today with the arguments of attorneys and instructions to the jury.

The jury selected to hear the case is composed of the following: Frank Baker, Leonard Dalton, Frank Sweeney, Frank Hunter, Richard Stanley, T. E. Jewsbury, P. E. Sheehan, Elmer Nicholson, A. E. McCauley, C. H. Beerup, Thomas E. Clancy and Charles Holmes. W. T. Wilson and Hugh Green are attorneys for Miss Cowden and William N. Hairgrove is attorney for Mr. Parr. The following orders were entered:

People's Cases

People vs. Richard Wallace alias Dick Wallace, indictment for larceny. Continued with alias.

People vs. William H. Frye, grand larceny. Continued with alias.

People vs. Dick Wallace, horse stealing. Continued with alias.

People vs. William H. Frye, burglary and larceny. Continued with alias.

People vs. Art Anders, Edgar Hopper, and Lloyd Hare, burglary and larceny. Continued with alias.

People vs. Percy McLean, burglary and larceny. Continued with alias.

People vs. Carl Ross, murder. Continued with alias.

People vs. Elizabeth Carter and John Carter, arson. Continued with alias.

LICENSED TO MARRY

Julius Hacker, Concord, Miss Ollie Ore, Concord.

Ernest Everett Dyer, Murrayville, Miss Ruth Elizabeth Curtis, Jacksonville.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Elizabeth M. Todd to Frank C. Koenig, warranty deed to lot one Day's sub-division to Jacksonville, \$1.

Frank C. Koenig to Elizabeth M. C. Todd, trustee, warranty deed to lot one Day's sub-division to Jacksonville, \$1.

Frank C. Koenig to Elizabeth M. Todd, warranty deed to lot 27 Israel, Taggart and Smith's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

Elizabeth Curtis, trustee to Frank C. Koenig, warranty deed to lot 27 Israel, Taggart and Smith's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

WINCHESTER PERSONALS

F. M. Palmer of Hannibal, Okla., is spending a few days here. Mr. Palmer, who was formerly in the newspaper business here, is now proprietor of the Hannibal Dispatch.

Mrs. James Devore of Woodsom and daughter, Mrs. Stein of Aurora came Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. Sheppard at the home of Mrs. Electa Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas and Miss Hazel Thomas visitors here from Los Angeles, Calif., left Wednesday for a short stay with Roodhouse friends.

MURRAYVILLE JUNIORS ENTERTAINED SENIORS

Following a custom of some years standing juniors of the Murrayville high school entertained the seniors Tuesday evening. A variation was made from the usual program in that the seniors were asked to attend "Experience" at the Grand Opera House. Teachers of the Murrayville school were included in the party. The original plan was to come in automobiles and the services of Robert Osborne, George Kennedy, Jay Millard, Charles Dunnaway and C. J. Wright had been secured. But rain interfered with this plan and then the juniors, desirous not to have their plans spoiled, prevailed upon C. T. Daniel, C. A. agent at Murrayville, to arrange to have the 9:30 train held in Jacksonville until the opera house performance was over. Members of the party came to the city late Tuesday afternoon, had a dinner at the Pacific and a little later occupying seats at the opera house. Everyone in the party enjoyed the event greatly.

In addition to the seniors and juniors in the party included Miss Besse G. Hart, Messrs. F. J. Harney, Edwin Clemmons, C. J. Wright and Charles Dunnaway. The class members were:

Seniors—Misses Grace Clark, Thelma Dunnaway, Alma Jennings, Mary Burke and Gertrude Johnson; Messrs. George Kennedy, Guy Smith, Willard Wesner and Dewey Mutch.

Juniors—Misses Harriette E. Cox, Floreca M. Short, Faye M. Kitner, Mary Clark, Cecile Thady, Amelia Lamb, Marie Burns; Messrs. Thomas Koyne, Leo Connolly and Robert Osborne.

Galli-Curci, soprano, and Rudolph Ganz, pianist, in joint recital May 30th, in State Arsenal, Springfield. Reserved seats on sale at J. P. Brown's Music Store, Jacksonville, Ill. Tickets \$1.00.

PERCENTAGE AT J. H. S.

The grades of the ten highest pupils of Jacksonville High school for the four years course follow:

Albert De Witt 94.63

Cora Cherry 94.08

Carol Hall 93.65

Everett Kuykendall 93.03

Ruth Hillerby 90.63

Laura Smith 91.79

Anna Palmer 91

John Badger 90.52

Opal Marshall 91.02

Emma Wiggins 90.33

MRS. J. D. HENSON, OF WINCHESTER, TAKEN

Death Came Wednesday Morning
After Several Weeks of Illness—
Many Scott County Teachers Ap-
pointed—Other News.

Winchester, Ill., May 23.—Mrs. Millie A. Henson, the wife of J. D. Henson, passed away at her home here this morning at 6 o'clock after an illness of several weeks duration. Mrs. Henson is survived by the husband, one daughter, Mrs. Charles Blair of Glasgow, and a son, a son, Wesley Henson of Dinchester. The sisters are Mrs. Mary J. Fletcher of Newport, Ore., Mrs. Sarah Hardister and Mrs. Lucinda Murray of this place. Mrs. Charles Crisp of Jacksonville and Miss Alice Taylor of Jerseyville. John W. Taylor of Winchester and Wesley Taylor of Virden are the brothers. Deceased was the daughter of John H. and Millie Taylor and was born and reared on the Taylor homestead, three and one-half miles northwest of here.

The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Winchester Baptist church, in charge of the Rev. W. H. Vreach of Danville, assisted by the pastor, Rev. W. F. Johnson.

County Teachers Employed

Most of the Scott county teachers have been hired for next year although the official list of the county superintendent, Mr. Ward, is incomplete by reason of a failure on the part of some of the directors to report promptly. The Manchester teachers are C. F. Farnkopf, principal, and Miss Mary A. Linn, Miss Florence Collins, Miss Blanch R. Bray and Miss Cora May Walker. The county appointments, by districts and name of school are:

2. Akers—Miss Ione Kuechler.

4. Independence — Miss Ruth Wallace.

5. Nems—Miss M. Helen Saye.

7. Claywell — Miss Ella McLaughlin.

9. Alsey—Harley Hitch, principal, and Miss Barbara Owings, primary.

13. Sandridge—Eugene A. Rochester.

15. Zion's Neck—J. A. Leitz.

16. Harts—Miss Bessie Coulas.

14. Sugar Grove—Miss Bessie E. Six.

17. Point Pleasant—Miss Lena A. Hayden.

20. Victory — Miss Florence Lashmet.

25. Eureka—Miss Bernice Burrows.

31. Pin Oak — Miss Marjorie Leib.

32. Merritt—Clyde Taylor.

34. Oak Dale—Le Belle M. Vanier.

37. Bluff Dale—Miss Mildred Green.

38. Ridge School—Margaret E. Green.

26. South College—Miss Eva Lane.

18. Seminary. — Miss Ruth Reeder.

MANCHESTER POST MASTER LEFT TOWN

John Green Will Be Associated With Cosgriff Bros. in Grocery Business

—P. E. Newell Light Company Auditor Will Enter Office of McCarthy-Gebert Co.

Alva Dawson Disappeared Last

Thursday and His Relatives and Friends are Worried—Served as Post Master Since Last September.

Manchester, May 23.—No trace

has been found of Alva Dawson postmaster at this place who disappeared last Thursday. Dawson was appointed postmaster last September. Postal authorities have been examining

Dawson's accounts to see if there

are any irregularities.

Dawson before coming to Man-

chester was a resident of Winches-

ter. He is a paperhanger by trade

and is crippled and unable to do

much hard work. It was largely on

account of his physical condition

that he was appointed postmaster.

It is said that for some time resi-

dents have been dissatisfied with the

service rendered and that Dawson

allowed too many outsiders to be

about the office and assist in the

work.

Dawson has had for an assistant

Ernest Heron who is proprietor of

a restaurant in the same building

with the post office.

Mr. Heron was in charge of the office until Tues-

day when Mrs. A. B. Rochester, who

was Dawson's predecessor, was again

placed in charge. Mrs. Rochester

will remain until a permanent ap-

pointment is made.

Dawson also was prominent in

temperance and Sunday school work

and took an active part in all church

activities here.

His mother resides in Springfield.

She was notified of her son's dis-

appearance and has assisted in ev-

ery way to locate him. She is un-

able to assign any reason for his ac-

tion.

Mr. Green is not only a competent

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Some good quality sawed wood in stock. We believe early fuel buying this year will save money for the consumer.

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**MUNITIONS IS THEME AT
ENGINEER'S MEETING**

Seek to Develop Facts of Value to
Government—Recommend Establish-
ment of Ten Centers for Pro-
duction of Machines for Shell
Making—Favor Piecework System
of Wages

Cincinnati, May 23—Munitions formed the basis of today's program of the joint meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and the National Machine Tool Builders Association. The chief reason for the meeting was to develop facts that would be of value to the government. Trade profit and advancement were not considered. The phases touched on today include war-time shell making; the problems of organization for munitions manufacture; financing of munitions contracts; work connected with proper organization of munitions factories.

Among the experts who prepared papers for the meeting were Lucien L. Yeomans, an industrial engineer of Chicago; Arthur L. Humphrey, of Wilmersdorf, Pa., general manager of the Westinghouse company; Frederick A. Waldron, an industrial engineer of New York City, and Harry L. Coe, vice president of a Boston manufacturing company. Their papers brought out the following ideas:

In shell-making, it was pointed out one of the first requisites is a proper location of the factory, with reference to labor supply and transportation. The other requirement for the proper sort of a plant, is a level, well-drained, unoccupied acreage, "grid-ironed" by railroads.

Dimensions of the plant should be determined by the size of shell to be manufactured. It was said, and assuming that the shell is to be the British type of 9.2 inch high explosive and that the output was to be 250 an hour, the manufacturing plant ought to be about one thousand and by three hundred feet, containing six units capable of producing 12 shells an hour. Such a plant, it was said could be built and operated to capacity in 60 days.

It was recommended that ten centers to produce machines for shell making should be established, say in Chicago, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Milwaukee, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Birmingham, Ala., Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Buffalo.

An organization for manufacture of munitions, it was said, should be built up around men who have had practical experience in munition making or similar work. They can be helped by women, especially on work requiring deftness. Best results can be obtained by the use of automatic or semi-automatic machines, it was stated and emphasis was placed on the necessity for a skilled inspection department.

The meeting was told that making of munitions is a strictly engineering proposition and it was said that if engineering methods, as to contracts had been employed two years ago profits would have been far greater than they are. Failure to deliver munitions of sufficient quantity within the time specified was directly traced to lack of judgment in the amount of money demanded as advance payment, combined with a lack of sound financial management. An advancement payment of at least 25 per cent on munitions contracts was considered necessary. A piece-work system of wages was recommended.

Galli-Curci, soprano, and Rudolph Ganz, pianist, in joint recital May 30th, in State Arsenal, Springfield. Reserved seats on sale at J. P. Brown's Music Store, Jacksonville, Ill. Tickets \$1.00.

TO CHOOSE NEW BISHOP
Minneapolis, Minn., May 23—Representatives of the clergy and laity of the Episcopal Church in Minnesota began a special convention in St. Paul's church here today to choose a successor to the late Bishop Samuel Cook Edsall. The convention has a wealth of candidates to consider, chief among whom is Rt. Rev. Frank McIlvain, the suffragan bishop of the diocese. Other well known churchmen whose names are mentioned in connection with the honor are Bishop Nathaniel S. Thomas of Wyoming; Bishop Theodorus S. Thurston in Eastern Oklahoma, Dr. Ernest M. Stires, rector of St. Thomas' church, New York City; Bishop H. C. Brent of the Philippines, and Dr. E. L. Parsons of Berkeley, Calif.

MICHIGAN GOOD ROADS
MEETING

Saginaw, Mich., May 23—Saginaw is entertaining for three days a large number of delegates and visitors who have assembled here from all parts of the state for the ninth annual convention of the Michigan State Good Roads Association. The business sessions are being held in the Auditorium and in connection there is a large display of improved road making materials and machinery.

FARMERS FAVOR PRICE FIXING
Fargo, N. D. May 23—A minimum price of \$1 a bushel for potatoes and \$2 a bushel for wheat, to be guaranteed by the United States and Canadian governments to farmers, may be asked at the mass convention of farmers which assembled here today, in response to a call issued by the Equity Co-operative Exchange. Farmers from many of the Northwestern States and from Western Canada are attending the meeting, which will continue in session for two days. The need for a maximum price to consumers will be discussed and a resolution will be introduced asking the Government to prohibit future trading in grains. Labor needs of farmers also will be discussed.

Edward A. Devlin has gone to Peoria to take an important position in the wholesale grocery house of Oakford & Fahnestock. His friends will congratulate him on his change and hope he will be added to the list of Jacksonville young people who have made good.

OLD JACKSONVILLE

Some Old Advertisements

By Ensley Moore

(Member Illinois State Historical Society.)

Those who write history find matters of interest and value in many ways and places that others would not think of. An old newspaper is not merely valuable for its regular reading matter. Business or legal notices, even estray notices, and all sorts of advertisements show various old time ways and pursuits, and often show the presence of persons in various unsupposed localities. A copy of the "Illinois Patriot", edited and published here by Jas. G. Edwards, of the date of Nov. 30, 1833, is a proof of the assertion above made. In passing, it may be said that this copy of the paper was No. 52, of Vol. 2, so it shows just when our first newspaper began publication.

A Card. Doct. Wm. Vanzandt,

late of the city of Utica, N. Y., would respectfully inform the inhabitants of Schuyler county, and the public generally, that he has located himself in Rushville, Ill., where his professional services may be obtained as Physician, Surgeon and Oculist. Diseases of the eye, chronic, or diseases of long standing and surgery, will be the principal objects of his care.

Rushville, Nov. 8th, 1833.

Here is another:

Law Notice.

Walter Jones and J. J. Hardin, Have entered into a copartnership in the practice of Law. Business entrusted to them will receive prompt attention.

Jacksonville, June 15.

This was about the first torpedo Hardin fired here. Who was Jones?

Window Sash.

Just received from Cincinnati, Ohio, a great variety of Window Sash—pine—and of the best quality. For sale at 8 cts. per light, by

James E. Waldo & Co.

Meredosia, Aug. 17th, 1833.

This shows that our predecessors were getting out of their log cabins and the oak, walnut or cottonwood lumber.

The transportation business was becoming a necessity of the new state, only fifteen years, scant, in the Union, so the following was timely:

Storage and Forwarding.

Having large and convenient Warehouses, directly at the Steamboat landing, the Subscribers offer their services to the public in this branch of business. Cash Advances made on consignments to New Orleans, New York and Philadelphia.

Godfrey, Gilman & Co.

Lower Alton, Nov. 11th, 1833.

Here are some more lawyers:

David Evans & J. J. Anderson

Attorneys at Law,

will practice in co-partnership in the courts of law and Equity, holden in the counties of Morgan, Sangamon, Greene, Pike, Fulton, Tazewell and Adams, as well as the Supreme Court. Their office is in Jacksonville.

Dec. 1, 1832.

David B. Ayers,

father of M. P. and A. E. Ayers, reminded his debtors that he would like to have them pay up. Then told his customers about his drugs, medicines, paints, oils, etc., adding

Also

On hand an assortment of School Books,

of the most approved authors, such as Woodbridge's Geography, Kirkbride's Grammar, Adams' Arithmetic, National Reader, Young Reader, etc., etc.

Lime.

The subscriber has just burned a kiln of first rate Rock Lime, which he now offers for sale on reasonable terms. Also Rock suitable for building Hearths, etc.

Z. Carter.

Winchester, Oct. 12, 1833.

This Mr. Carter was probably the grandfather of Dr. Fred Noyes and Levi Doane, and an uncle or cousin of W. Chauncey Carter. He afterwards lived near Perry, in Pike Co.

The Drurys Again.

Last week the "O. J." article was about the Drury-Paxsons. This "Patriot" had the following:

Administrator's Notice.

I have this day taken out letters of administration on the estate of

Lawson Drury, deceased, etc. etc.

Ann Drury, Adm'x, Morgan Co., Ill., Oct. 24, 1833.

George Rearick also had an administrator's notice of the sale of certain real estate, but did not state to whom it had belonged.

Public Sale.

We will sell on a credit of six months, purchasers giving bond and approved Security, four yoke of oxen and one ox-wagon, of the estate of Wm. Brown, deceased. Sale to take place at the mill in Island Grove, formerly owned by Jesse Roberts, on Saturday, the 23d November, 1833.

Harriet B. Brown, Executrix.

Wm. Brown, Jr., Executor.

This William Brown whose oxen were to be sold was supposedly ancestor of all the William Browns of his line, as evidenced by the signature of William, Junior, afterwards "The Judge"—brother of Capt. Jas. N. E. W. and Dr. Lloyd W.

Just at present the doctors are

The general subject of industrial preparedness will be considered under various heads, such as the importance of the human factor in such preparedness, governmental control of industries, a summary showing what industry can do for itself, training of the coming generation, stabilizing of labor units, woman's work in war-time, labor problems, measurement and standardization, a corporation school movement and discussion at a round table on "Influencing the Management."

Among those who are to make addresses at the convention are: C. Knoepfle, representing Howard E. Coffin, chairman of the Advisory Committee of National Defense; Charles R. Vanllie, President of the University of Wisconsin, who will speak Friday evening on "Government Control of Industries;" Victor A. Olander, Secretary-Treasurer of the Illinois Federation of Labor; A. E. Holder, Secretary of the Legislative Council of the American Federation of Labor; John P. Frey, Cincinnati, Editor of the International Union Moulders' Journal, and W. S. McArthur, of Chicago, who will speak on "Woman's Work in War-Time."

As a means of interspersing entertainment in the routine of the convention, inspection trips thru industrial sections of Chicago will be made and there will be an exhibition of the growth of the efficiency movement in this city, many Chicago firms having agreed to take part,

John Cully of Woodson was attending to his interests in the city yesterday,

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RUGS

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Sell Everything
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watches to
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If your watch
can't be depended
upon bring it in
and let our ex-
pert repair man
put it in first
class condition.

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to look like new.

No charges un-
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YOUR ICE SUPPLY

When you place your order for ice, pay for your book in advance. This plan saves you money.

YOUR FUEL ORDERS

This is the year to place your fuel orders early. The prices will certainly be higher.

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The Prices Good Only for April Delivery.

GIANTS TAKE SERIES
OPENER FROM CHICAGODRIVE VAUGHN OFF RUBBER IN
EARLY INNINGS

Defeat is Cubs Fifth Straight—Alexander's Pitching and Hitting Feature Contest Which Phillies Win From Cincinnati

New York, May 23—New York defeated Chicago in the first game of a four game series today 5 to 3. It was the fifth straight defeat for the visitors. New York won in the early innings by driving Vaughn off the rubber.

Score: Chicago AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Zeider, ss 5 1 2 0 1 1
Wolter, rf 5 1 2 1 1 0
Doyle, 2b 3 0 0 3 4 0
Merkle, 1b 4 0 1 8 0 0
Williams, cf 3 0 0 4 0 0
Elliott, x 1 0 0 0 0 0
Flack, rf 0 0 0 0 0 0
Mann, If 4 0 1 1 0 0
Wilson, c 3 1 1 5 1 0
Deal, 3b 4 0 1 2 2 0
Vaughn, p 0 0 0 0 0 1
Hendrix, p 3 0 0 2 0 0

Totals 35 3 8 24 11 2
New York AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Burns, If 4 1 2 3 0 0
Kauf, cf 3 1 2 0 0 0
Robertson, rf 2 0 0 4 0 1
Zimmerman, 3b 4 0 1 3 0 0
Fletcher, ss 4 1 1 3 0 0
Kilduff, 2b 4 0 1 1 0 1
Holke, 1b 3 0 0 7 0 0
McCarty, c 3 1 1 9 0 0
Herzog, xx 0 1 0 0 0 0
Rariden, c 0 0 0 0 0 0
Schupp, p 3 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 30 5 7 27 6 2
x—batted for Williams in 8th.
xx—ran for McCarty in 7th.

Score by innings: Chicago 002 000 100—3
New York 310 000 10x—3

Summary
Two base hits—Kilduff, Burns, Fletcher. Three base hits—Wolter. Home run—Wilson. Stolen bases—Wolter, Herzog. Sacrifice hit—Robertson. Sacrifice flies—Robertson, Doyle. Left on bases—Chicago 8; New York 4. First base on errors—Chicago 2; New York 2. Bases on balls—off Vaughn 1; Schupp 2. Hits and earned runs—off Vaughn 5 and 2 in 1, 2, 3; Hendrix 2 and 0 in 6, 1-3; Schupp 3 runs; Struckout—Vaughn 1; Hendrix 4; Schupp 6. Umpires—Byron and Quigley. Time—2:12.

Philadelphia 3; Cincinnati 1

Philadelphia May 23—Alexander's pitching and hitting featured the game which Philadelphia won from Cincinnati today, 5 to 1. Alexander held his opponents to two extra base hits while he made a home run, two singles and a sacrifice and scored the run which tied the score and the run which put his team in the lead.

Score: Cincinnati AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Groh, 3b 4 0 0 0 2 0
Kopf, ss 4 0 1 0 3 0
Roush, cf 4 0 0 5 0 0
Chase, 1b 4 0 0 8 2 0
Geiffert, rf 2 1 0 2 0 0
Thorpe, If 3 0 0 1 0 0
Wingo, c 3 0 1 4 0 0
Shean, 2b 3 0 0 4 3 0
Toney, p 2 0 0 0 2 0
Eller, p 0 0 0 0 0 0
Neale, x 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 30 1 2 24 12 0
x—batted for Toney in 8th.

Philadelphia AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Paskert, cf 2 0 0 1 0 0
Bancroft, ss 4 0 4 3 2 0
Stock, 3b 5 0 1 2 2 0
Cravath, rf 3 0 0 1 0 0
Cooper, If 3 1 0 1 0 0
Luderus, 1b 4 1 2 10 0 0
Niehoff, 2b 4 1 1 1 2 1
Killier, c 4 0 1 8 0 0
Alexander, p 3 2 3 0 4 0

Totals 32 5 12 27 10 1
Score by innings: Cincinnati 010 000 000—1
Philadelphia 001 010 03x—2

Summary
Two base hits—Kopf, Niehoff. Three base hits—Wingo. Home run—Alexander. Sacrifice hits—Paskert, Alexander. Sacrifice flies—Paskert. Left on bases—Cincinnati 3; Philadelphia 1. First base on errors—Cincinnati 1. Bases on balls—off Toney 2; Eller 2; Alexander 1. Hits and earned runs—Toney 9 and 2 in 7; Eller 3 and 3 in 1. Off Alexander 2 and 1 in 9. Struckout—by Toney 1; Eller 1; Alexander 8. Umpires—O'Day and Harrison. Time—1:50.

J. C. Spink of Petersburg visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ebenezer Spink and brother Earl Spink and wife in the city yesterday.

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HOW THEY STAND

National League
Won Lost Pct.
Philadelphia 19 9 .575
New York 17 9 .554
Chicago 22 14 .611
St. Louis 15 15 .500
Cincinnati 14 20 .412
Brooklyn 10 17 .406
Boston 9 15 .375
Pittsburgh 11 21 .314

American League
Won Lost Pct.
Boston 19 19 .555
New York 17 10 .560
Chicago 23 13 .629
Cleveland 18 17 .511
St. Louis 15 17 .441
Washington 13 18 .419
Detroit 11 18 .378
Philadelphia 9 20 .376

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League
Chicago, 3; New York, 5.
Cincinnati, 1; Philadelphia, 5.
Others postponed.

American League
Washington, 1; Chicago, 2.
Boston, 8; St. Louis, 2.
Others postponed.

American Association
Columbus, 2; Toledo, 1.
Louisville, 6; Indianapolis, 10.
Minneapolis, 5; St. Paul, 7.
Other not scheduled.

Western League
Des Moines, 0; Lincoln, 7.
Omaha, 1; Sioux City, 5.
St. Joseph, 3-6; Denver, 4-4.
Joplin, 3; Wichita, 7.

Three-I League
Peoria, 3-7; Rockford, 6-1.
Rock Island, 4; Alton, 7-0.
Moline, 3-3; Hannibal, 6-6.
Quincy, 8; Bloomington, 11.

Central Association
Fort Dodge, 3; Mason City, 2.
Cedar Rapids, 2-3; Clinton, 4-14.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

National League
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Boston.

American League
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Detroit.
New York at Cleveland.
Boston at St. Louis.

MAINTAIN PLAYER
LIMIT OF 22 MEN

CHICAGO, May 22—The player limit of 22 men will be maintained in the National league. President John K. Tener announced today in denying reports at a meeting of the National Baseball Commission that the league would reduce its limit to 18.

August Hermann owner of the Cincinnati Nationals and chairman of the national commission said that rumors that the league would re-trench were without foundation.

"The plan to reduce the player limit never has been considered; neither is it contemplated," said Mr. Hermann.

The commission disposed of several minor league cases during its four hour session and adjourned until tomorrow.

RESUME HEARING ON
RAIL RATE INCREASES

WASHINGTON, May 23—Inter-state commerce commission hearings on the petition of the railroads for a general fifteen percent increase in freight rates were resumed today with executives of two representative railroads of the east under cross examination by attorneys for shippers. The witnesses were Presidents Rea of the Pennsylvania and Luree of the Delaware & Hudson. Both were closely questioned regarding the finances of their roads and possible economies which might be affected as a means of offsetting increases in operating costs. Tomorrow executives of the southeastern lines will be cross examined.

Mr. Rea was examined at length by Clifford W. Thorne, representing a group of shippers. After asking many questions regarding finances, Mr. Thorne asked whether the Pennsylvania would take competitive bids for lubricants from independent producers as a means of cutting down expenses, adding that independent producers would furnish lubricants at a price twenty percent less than the road now pays. Mr. Rea said his system was willing to do anything that would cut down operating expenses.

BREAK TWO WOMEN'S RECORDS

Philadelphia, May 23—Two women's athletic records were broken here today by Temple University students at their annual senior-freshmen field and track meet. In winning the 80 yard dash in 10.45 seconds Miss Ethel Dreyer of the senior class, clipped one-fifth of a second from the former American record held by Miss L. Schwab of Seattle, Wn. The other new record was established by Miss Bessie Kramer of the freshman class who had a mark of 20 feet 10 inches in the standing hop-step-jump. The former record was held by Miss S. A. Clark, National Park Seminary, Washington, D. C. Miss Dreyer also broke the record in this event clearing 20 feet 7 inches.

MONTANA G. A. R.

Butte, Mont., May 23—Altho the annual encampment of the Montana G. A. R. does not begin until tomorrow, the trains brought in the vanguard of visitors today, and the large number of early arrivals indicates that the attendance will equal the most sanguine expectations of the local committee of arrangements. In addition to the Grand Army encampment the gathering will include the annual sessions of the State organizations of the Womans' Relief Corps, Ladies of the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans and United Spanish War Veterans.

ALUMNI REUNION POSTPONED

Baltimore, Md., May 23—Because of the war situation the thirty-third annual reunion of the Alumni Association of the American College in Rome, which was to have met in Baltimore today, has been postponed indefinitely. The membership of the association embraces a large majority of the archbishops, bishops, and other prelates of the Roman Catholic Church in the United States.

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CICOTTE HOLDS SENATORS
TO FOUR HITS; SOX WIN

CHICAGO CAPTURES FIRST OF
SERIES 2 TO 1.

Shaw Pitches Fairly Good Game but
Is Unsteady at Times—Boston
Bunches Nine Hits in the Second,
Fourth and Seventh Innings and
Downs St. Louis.

Chicago, May 23—Chicago defeated Washington 2 to 1 today in the first game of the series. Cicotte held the visitors to four hits, one of which was a scratch. Shaw pitched a fairly good game but was unsteady at times.

Score: Washington AB. R. H. O. A. E.

Judge, 1b 4 0 12 0 1

Foster, 3b 4 0 1 2 0 1

Miller, cf 3 0 0 4 0 0

Rice, rf 4 1 1 2 0 0

Smith, If 3 0 0 2 0 0

Morgan, 2b 3 0 2 1 1 0

Almstith, c 3 0 0 3 0 1

Crane, ss 3 0 0 7 0 0

Shaw, p 3 0 0 3 0 0

Totals 30 1 24 13 3

Chicago AB. R. H. O. A. E.

Leibold, rf 5 1 2 2 0 0

Weaver, 3b 2 0 0 2 0 0

E. Collins, 2b 2 0 1 1 1 0

Jackson, If 3 0 0 1 0 0

Felsch, cf 4 0 0 4 0 0

Gandil, 1b 4 1 1 5 0 0

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Office—410 West State Street
Office hours—10 to 12 a. m. to 5
p. m. Both phones, 275.
Residence—1123 W. State street.
Both phones, 151.

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Office hours—8 to 11 a. m. to 5 to
5 p. m.

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to 12. Sunday and evenings by ap-
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OMAHA LIVESTOCK MARKET

Omaha, May 23—Hogs—Receipts 17,-
000, total \$15,600-\$15,900; No. 1 \$15,-
500; No. 2 \$15,600-\$15,900; No. 3
\$15,800; pigs \$12,500-\$14,500; bulk \$15,500-\$15,800.

Cattle—Receipts 6,000; steady; native
steers \$10,000-\$12,500; cows and heifers \$8,75
-\$11,500; western steers \$9,000-\$11,500; can-
steers \$6,750-\$8,500; stockers and feeders \$7,00
-\$11,000; calves \$3,500-\$13,500; bulls \$6,750
-\$10,250.

Sheep—Receipts 4,800; 150% higher;
yearlings \$11,500-\$15,500; wethers \$12,500-\$14,250; ewes \$11,750-\$14,00; lambs \$19,250-\$20,50.

PEORIA CASH GRAIN MARKET

Peoria, May 23—Corn—Very high; No.
2 white \$1,715; No. 2 yellow \$1,711; No. 3
yellow \$1,710; No. 4 yellow \$1,700; No. 2
yellow \$1,700; No. 3 mixed \$1,700-\$1,710;
No. 4 mixed \$1,650; No. 5 mixed \$1,650; sample

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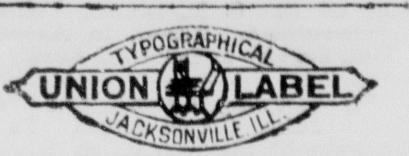
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The Business Office is open each week

day evening and until noon Sunday for the accommodation of want ads.

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In answer to "Want Ad" ads in the Journal such as "A. B. C." care

Journal, either mail or bring your reply to The Journal office, where parties ad-

dressed will call for your answer.

Names and addresses of parties placing "blind" ads in this paper will be given out—you must reply in writing only.

ADS TAKEN OVER TELEPHONE

The Journal takes Want Ads over the phone on an accommodation basis.

Subscribers with the understanding that

collection can be made for the same the next day. If you phone a Want Ad in today, the collector will call to collect tomorrow. The collector will be responsible for errors in ads taken over the phone. Advertiser can have ad repeated back over the phone on telephone orders.

ANSWERS TO ADVERTISERS

Replies to ads in the Journal or in the

Business Office were awaiting the following

at 7:30 o'clock last evening. These

replies should be called for not later

than one week after they are published.

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SUMMER WILL BE BUSY IN WASHINGTON

Thousands of Visitors There Make
Certain that Business Conditions
Will be Active.

Washington, D. C., May 23.—It blows the wind that profits nobody. Here it is near the beginning of June and Washington is busier than it has ever been before in mid-winter. The war has increased the normal population of the capital by many thousands, due to the necessity for hiring armies of extra clerks to handle the additional work of the various departments of the Government. The tradesmen are exceedingly busy, the hotels are filled, and accommodations in rooming houses are at a premium. And the best of it is, from the viewpoint of the residents of Washington, is that this activity is going to continue thru the entire summer.

Ordinarily at this time of the year everyone in Washington would be making arrangements for long vacations. The war has changed all of this, however, and during the dull, hot months to come, Washington will bear no resemblance to the quiet, peaceful city that it used to be in the summer and autumn months when Congress was not in session and when the machinery of government was not whirling at war time speed.

All Cabinet Officers on Job.
Every Cabinet officer is planning to stay either directly on his job in Washington or else within very close touch of it thru the summer. It goes without saying that the State department, the War department and the Navy Department are tremendously busy. The Post Office Department is planning the changes that will come into effect with the new war taxes. The Department of Agriculture, always restless, is straining every nerve to stimulate productivity. The Department of Labor and the Department of Commerce are busy with the labor and industrial problems arising from the war. The Interior Department has on its hands a mass of routine always sufficient to keep it out of mischief. The Department of Justice is burdened with its share of extra work arising from the war while Mr. McAdoo's Treasury is up to its ears in work attending on the disposal of the Liberty Loan bonds and the multitude of other financial problems due to the war.

Congress expects to continue its sittings all summer with the possible exception of a very short recess to give the members a breathing spell with the senate and house in continuous operation and all the other branches of government running at full blast. Washington will indeed be a very active place this summer. **White House a Veritable Bee Hive.**
The White House will continue as it has been for many months past a veritable beehive of activity. It is a significant fact that President Wilson has spent more consecutive days and a larger proportion of his entire time in Washington than did either of his predecessors. Undoubtedly one reason for this practice on the part of Mr. Wilson is that he is at a quiet and studious turn and not given to the rough and tumble of life. But it is also unquestionable true that he has spent almost all of his time in Washington because, in the main, circumstances forced him to. The mass of detail as well as of large questions which have sprung up the past few years, even before the war cloud appeared on the horizon, have practically compelled the presence of the Chief Executive in Washington. During the coming summer Mr. Wilson's vacation is likely to be confined wholly to weekly end stays at the seaside or a few short cruises on the *Mayflower*.

Climate Conditions Favorable.
It is probably a fortunate thing that the seat of the Federal Government is situated on such a spot that in the summer months the climate is almost tropical. This quality in the climate makes it difficult for newcomers but as soon as a man is acclimated he is not only able to stand the weather but he is "let down" nervously to a considerable extent. His work may be the most exacting and exhausting in the world but the lazy feeling in the air is sure sooner or later, to get into his bones and tend to prevent him from running along at the unnecessary high tension which is so often fatal to busy men in the north.

Gradually Washington is beginning to handle itself like the semi-tropical city that it is. Every season more men blossom out in linen or crash suits of the featherweight and washable variety. The country clubs and parks have been developed to an amazing extent and the Maryland and Virginia countryside have also become an essential part of the summer existence of the statesmen, the working people, the newspaper correspondents and others whose daily tasks are concerned with the running of the United States government.

A PROMISING ACTOR.
Conrad Nagel the young man who played the leading role of "Youth" in "Experience" is a resident of Des Moines, Iowa and an intimate friend of Mr. and Mrs. Abner M. Upham. Mr. Nagel was not obliged to serve as understudy in the important part he takes in the great play but seemed to be fitted for it from the beginning.

The company had to leave on the 1/5 Wabash train for Terre Haute and Mr. Nagel was invited to meet a number of young people at the home of Miss Helen Allcott on West College avenue and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by all present.

Miss Allcott met the actor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Upham last summer. The young man said he had played seven nights a week without intermission since the first of last August yet he didn't seem to be fatigued. The company are to have a four night stand at Terre Haute.

Jesse Loughry of Concord was a caller on city people yesterday.

FROM THE EDUCATOR'S NOTEBOOK

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Wisconsin is using the movies to teach thrift. Under the auspices of the extension department of the State University there has been prepared a series of films to be sent all over the state. The pictures are intended to teach the people how to produce more food and waste less.

A prize of \$20,000 for the best method of character education in the public schools will be offered as a supplement to the \$5,000 prize for the best children's code of morals, already under competition under the auspices of the National Institute for Moral Instruction. The competition will begin Washington's birthday, 1918, and continue for a year, each state to organize a team of nine character education experts to compete for the prize. The prize money has been given by a business man who does not want his name disclosed.

The British academic world was notably represented in the British war commission party which has lately been visiting America headed by Mr. Balfour, in the presence of Geoffrey Butler, lecturer in international law and diplomacy at Cambridge University. Since 1915, Prof. Butler has been doing his bit by doing a secretary's work at the Foreign Office. His giving up his calling to serve the Government in wartime is only typical of what British university men have been doing all over the United Kingdom, according to his own testimony. Of the teaching staff of his own department at Cambridge only two out of twelve are not serving in some capacity. This was not Prof. Butler's first visit to America. He has been a lecturer at the University of Pennsylvania in 1913 and 1914.

President Robert S. Hyer of Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, has an interesting plan by which 200 young men may earn enough money to meet their expense while attending that institution. The University has an endowment of 630 acres of land, much of which is as fertile as any land in Texas. Four hundred acres of this tract is in use as a campus, but 200 acres is now being leased to persons not connected with the university. Dr. Hyer's plan is that the University tender the use of the 200 acres to 200 young men desiring to earn their way thru college, provide farm animals and farm implements, and let the 200 young men each cultivate one acre. It is believed that from one acre planted with garden produce and carefully cultivated, a young man can make fully enough money to pay his expenses at the university. It is proposed that the institution employ an expert agronomist to direct the work of the young men. Besides, the university kitchens and the boarding houses that care for the 300 students will afford a ready and convenient market for the produce that is grown.

**REV. H. H. DEWITT WILL ACT
AS MODERATOR AT DECATUR**

Rev. H. H. DeWitt pastor of Second Baptist church will leave this morning for Decatur and Danville where he will visit officially and act as Moderator of the Wood River association of Baptist Churches.

From Danville Rev. DeWitt will go to Indianapolis where he will on Sunday assist the Rev. B. F. Ferrell in raising \$5,000 for the purpose of building a new church.

The Rev. Mr. DeWitt will be absent about a week. On Sunday the Rev. G. Bolden will preach the morning service at Second Baptist church and the Rev. F. Sales will have charge of the evening service.

FRANKLIN

Mrs. Lula Sitton is spending the week with Mrs. Albert Alderson near Waverly.

Harry Kirby of Beardstown visited over Sunday with Franklin friends.

Miss Haze' Kinear who taught the domestic science department the past term left Saturday for her home in Rushville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lorton and daughter Mabel spent Saturday and Sunday, near Drake, the guests of Mr. Lorton's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Crouse spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Storey.

Miss Ada Storey returned home Monday after a pleasant visit with friends near Exeter.

John Blimling was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Coyne and Mrs. Pete McCabe spent Saturday afternoon in Murrayville.

Mrs. J. H. Devore of Woodson spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. L. G. Crouse.

Walter Eatley of Jacksonville took dinner Wednesday with his sister, Mrs. L. G. Crouse and family.

Mrs. R. E. Dobson and children visited from Saturday until Monday with relatives in Jacksonville and Monday attended a farewell dinner given for Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Mapes, who left that afternoon for California for their future home.

**DENIES MEXICO MADE
PROTEST TO GERMANY**

MEXICO CITY, May 23.—Ernesto Garza Perez, in charge of the foreign office denies that Mexico has made a representation to Germany on the submarine issue. Senor Perez was shown a dispatch from Amsterdam which stated that the Mexican minister to Germany was believed to have protested on behalf of Mexico against unrestricted submarine warfare. He declared the Mexican government had not authorized any such representations and that Mexico had nothing to say to Germany on this subject.

**FORMER RESIDENTS IN
ARMY Y. M. C. A. WORK**

Sons of Dr. C. M. Brown, former Westminster Pastor, in Association Service at Dellwood Park

The following reference was made in the Joliet Herald of May 19, to the sons of the Rev. C. M. Brown, D. D., formerly of Westminster church, this city:

"Now that the troops are about to move into new quarters at Dellwood park, the equipment of the Y. M. C. A. tent already located there may be of interest. The soldiers' camp is south of the ball park and east of the dance pavilion and the Y. M. C. A. tent is south of the camp at the head of the company streets. A large sign, 30 by 20 feet, contains the words 'ARMY Y. M. C. A.'

"The tent contains four large tables with book racks in center and stationery within reach. At the north end of the tent is the business counter and supplies of all kinds. To the south end of the tent is a platform twelve feet square with a piano, violin and fifty records.

"Religious services will be held by different creeds and denominations Sundays and entertainments during the week in this tent. Bible classes and other organizations will be formed by the enlisted men, many of whom are already members of the Pocket Testament League since their sojourn on the Mexican border.

JOLIET MEN IN CHARGE

"Two of Joliet's own young men are in charge of the Y. M. C. A. tent already located there.

Albert and Charles H. Brown, Jr., sons of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Brown of the First Presbyterian church have received their appointments from the Army Branch of the Y. M. C. A. and have been assigned to this post.

It is not known definitely whether they will remain with the equipment at Dellwood Park all the time it is there or go with the military unit to the firing line if the First Regiment is ordered overseas.

"The Y. M. C. A. secretaries wear the regulation army uniform, and mess with the soldiers. They are with the troops to serve and in every way possible study the convenience and comfort of 'the boys.'

The details of Y. M. C. A. supplies are interesting for variety. Not only stationery, but also ink, pencils, pencil sharpeners, blotters, wrapping paper, twine, rubber bands, inks, calendars, clocks (called by the soldiers sleep meters), ice water, chess and checker boards, waste paper baskets—all are provided free. The only thing kept for sale is the much in-demand postage stamp.

"Reading matter, in the way of books and recent periodicals, is always welcome and the citizens of Joliet can serve the guardmen stationed at Dellwood by keeping the tables replenished with the best that is available.

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